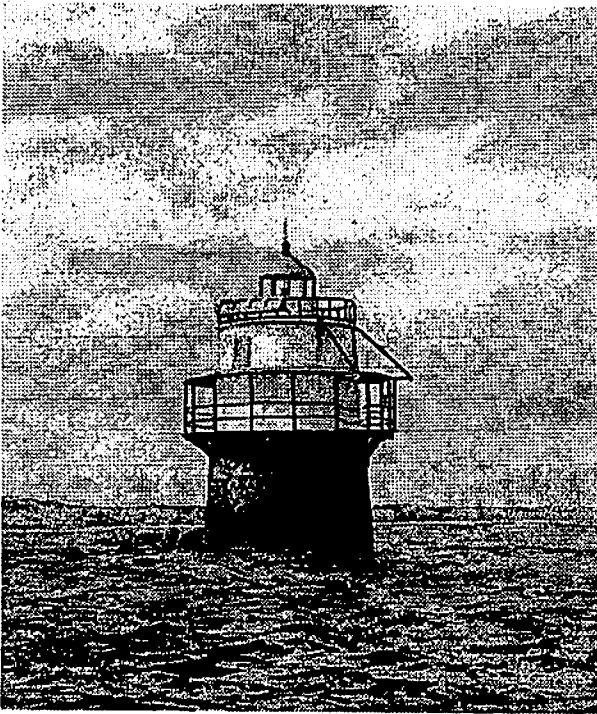


Six Person Show at the Bumpus Gallery



"Bug Light" by Nancy Martin a watercolorist known for her seascapes.

The Helen Bumpus Gallery is now displaying selected works of 6 local artists including 5 painters and one photographer. Their work reflects the individual journey each artist must make to reach his or her visual goals.

Bob Burgess is a watercolorist who is "attempting to extend my subjects beyond the usual landscapes and still-lives into an area that is less predictable." His prize-winning work has been exhibited in local shows, as well as the New England Watercolor Society International Show.

The photographs of Chris Connors will be familiar to Duxbury residents. Taken from a body of work entitled "Places I've Seen," prints from this series are also on display at the Sand Dollar Grill. The majority of this work is Chris' personal experience of Duxbury since he moved here in 1991.

Bernard Korites is a landscape painter whose intent is "to portray man's interaction with nature and the environment." In depicting the effect of the sun and wind on the subject matter, he is more concerned with the mood of a particular scene than the details. Though reluctant to

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label his style, Bernard feels his major influence has been the impressionists.

Nancy Martin is a watercolorist known for her seascapes, especially the rocky Maine coast. She also expresses herself through murals, folk art pieces and pen and ink renderings. Nancy has taught a variety of art courses through the Duxbury Before and After Dark adult education program.

The process of creation is a strong component of Rick Murphy's art. Not knowing the end result, having the piece evolve as it is being produced is part of the excitement of Rick's collage work. "The biggest confrontation...to us all is (the) starting and finishing (of an art work)."

Marcia Wilhelm's acrylics are a favorite here in Duxbury. The artist's goal is "to capture, as closely as possible, (the beauty of nature)...and to try to show what a precious gift we have been given." As Duxbury grows and changes, Marcia's local work is a timeless portrayal of many of the town's most beloved scenes.

The Helen Bumpus Gallery is located at the Duxbury Free Library. The show will be up from June 17 through September 2, with a reception for the artists June 29, 2-4 pm. All are welcome. Please call 934-2721 for more information.